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TO : Chief, Industrial Division, ORR *swf* DATE: 12 June 1957

FROM : Acting Chief, Aircraft Branch, D/I

SUBJECT: Rehearsal for Soviet Tushino Air Day Show

1. The fifth Tushino rehearsal took place on 8 June. A large unidentified swept-wing aircraft which appeared somewhat larger than BADGER and may have been a new jet transport was observed. The number of engines on this aircraft was not determined.

2. Other aircraft appearing over Tushino were as follows:

5	BISON
1	BEAR
4	BADGER
2	BEAGLE
46	FARMER
18	FLASHLIGHT
4	FRESCO
4	FRITZ
72	HOUND
11	MAX
3	COLT
37	COACH
6	Unidentified Fighters (Probably FARMERS)

3. The fifth rehearsal involved a minimum of 214 aircraft, but the military portion was limited mainly to formation leaders.

4. The Soviet press has announced that an ejection demonstration will be given during the show.

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